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October 29, 2013

MEMORANDUM

To:

Senator Leibham

From:

Joseph T. Kreye, Sr. Legislative Attorney, (608) 266–2263

Subject:

Technical Memorandum to 2013 SB 322 (LRB-2912/1) by DOR

We received the attached technical memorandum relating to your bill. This copy is for your information and your file.

If you wish to discuss this memorandum or the necessity of revising your bill or preparing an amendment, please contact me.



MEMORANDUM

October 7, 2013

TO: Joseph Kreye

Legislative Reference Bureau

FROM: Michael Wagner

Michael Oakleaf

Department of Revenue

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